

Pacific County
Youth & Tobacco Data Summary
10th Grade
Year 2000

		County %	State %
10th Grade Students Surveyed	n= 184	100.0 %	100.0 %
Gender			
Female		46.7 %	51.6 %
Male		53.3 %	48.4 %
Race/Ethnicity			
Students of Color		14.7 %	24.2 %
White		85.3 %	75.8 %
		County %+/- Margin of Error	State %+/- Margin of Error
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked cigarettes at least once			
Female	n= 86	15.1 %+/- 7.6	21.8 %+/- 2.2
Male	n= 97	11.3 %+/- 6.3	17.5 %+/- 2.1
Total	n= 183	13.1 %+/- 4.9	19.8 %+/- 1.5
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked cigars at least once			
Female	n= 86	1.2 %+/- 2.3	4.8 %+/- 1.2
Male	n= 97	7.2 %+/- 5.1	11.2 %+/- 1.7
Total	n= 183	4.4 %+/- 3.0	7.9 %+/- 1.0
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked tobacco in a pipe at least once			
Female	n= 85	1.2 %+/- 2.3	1.2 %+/- 0.6
Male	n= 97	3.1 %+/- 3.4	2.7 %+/- 0.8
Total	n= 182	2.2 %+/- 2.1	1.9 %+/- 0.5
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked bidis (flavored cigarettes) at least once			
Female	n= 86	0.0 %+/- 0.0	4.5 %+/- 1.1
Male	n= 97	2.1 %+/- 2.8	4.7 %+/- 1.2
Total	n= 183	1.1 %+/- 1.5	4.6 %+/- 0.8
Past 30 days, youth who have used smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, snuff or dip) at least once			
Female	n= 86	1.2 %+/- 2.3	1.4 %+/- 0.8
Male	n= 95	20.0 %+/- 8.0	7.9 %+/- 1.6
Total	n= 181	11.0 %+/- 4.6	4.6 %+/- 0.9
Past 30 days, youth who have used any tobacco product at least once			
Female	n= 86	16.3 %+/- 7.8	23.8 %+/- 2.3
Male	n= 97	26.8 %+/- 8.8	24.8 %+/- 2.4
Total	n= 183	21.9 %+/- 6.0	24.4 %+/- 1.6

Source: Washington State Department of Health
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n = number of survey respondents for county.
* = Rate not calculated because number of responses was less than 15.

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About how many cigarettes have you smoked in your entire life?	n= 180	
None	52.8 %+/- 7.3	49.9 %+/- 1.9
1/2 pack or less	25.6 %+/- 6.4	24.7 %+/- 1.6
1 - 4 packs	11.7 %+/- 4.7	9.3 %+/- 1.1
5 or more packs	10.0 %+/- 4.4	16.1 %+/- 1.4
Do you want to stop using tobacco right now? (among current tobacco users)	n= 40	
Yes	47.5 %+/- 15.5	56.8 %+/- 4.0
Have you ever participated in a program to help you quit using tobacco? (among current tobacco users)	n= 48	
Yes	2.1 %+/- 4.0	6.7 %+/- 1.7
During past 12 months, did you ever try to quit using tobacco? (cigarettes, cigars, or chew/dip)(among current tobacco users)	n= 34	
Yes	29.4 %+/- 15.3	58.3 %+/- 4.9
Do you think you will smoke a cigarette at any time during the next year?	n= 183	
Definitely no	60.1 %+/- 7.1	56.2 %+/- 1.8
If one of your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it?	n= 182	
Definitely no	61.5 %+/- 7.1	59.1 %+/- 1.8
Susceptibility Index (combination of the previous two questions, either of which receives any answer other than 'Definitely no')	n= 183	
Susceptible	42.1 %+/- 7.2	46.8 %+/- 1.8
If one of your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it? (from among youth who did not smoke in last 30 days)	n= 158	
Definitely no	70.3 %+/- 7.1	72.8 %+/- 1.8
Do you think the smoke from other people's cigarettes (second-hand smoke) is harmful to you?	n= 183	
Definitely yes or Probably yes	96.2 %+/- 2.8	92.2 %+/- 1.0
Do you think it is safe to smoke for only a year or two, as long as you quit after that?	n= 182	
Definitely no	70.3 %+/- 6.6	67.7 %+/- 1.7

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Would you ever use or wear something that has a tobacco company name or picture on it such as a lighter, t-shirt, hat, or sunglasses?	n= 183	
Definitely no	35.5 %+/- 6.9	39.7 %+/- 1.8
During last 12 months, did you buy or receive anything that has a tobacco name or picture on it?	n= 182	
Yes	18.7 %+/- 5.7	18.7 %+/- 1.4
During past 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	n= 174	
3 or more days	25.9 %+/- 6.5	28.7 %+/- 2.7
During past 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	n= 173	
3 or more days	19.7 %+/- 5.9	24.6 %+/- 2.5
During this school year, did you practice ways to say 'NO' to tobacco in any of your classes (for example, by role playing)?	n= 183	
Yes	27.3 %+/- 6.5	27.5 %+/- 1.6
During past 30 days, have you seen or heard commercials on TV, the Internet, or on the radio about the dangers of cigarette smoking?	n= 183	
More than once a week	74.9 %+/- 6.3	77.6 %+/- 1.6
How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood think it was for kids your age to smoke cigarettes?	n= 184	
Very wrong	40.8 %+/- 7.1	39.4 %+/- 1.8
If you wanted to get some tobacco, how easy would it be for you to get some?	n= 178	
Very hard or Sort of hard	21.3 %+/- 6.0	27.8 %+/- 1.6
Has either of your parents (or guardians) discussed the dangers of tobacco use with you?	n= 182	
Yes	64.8 %+/- 6.9	65.8 %+/- 1.7
Does anyone who lives with you now smoke cigarettes?	n= 174	
Yes	45.4 %+/- 7.4	37.4 %+/- 2.9